ABSTRACT

The present invention is a method and system for integrating a browser into and making it a part of a monitored and filtered data transmission system for a school or other controlled environment. A browser is configured by an administrator to require that all

5 pages be reviewed and checked before they are delivered to the recipient. The browser directs that the monitoring and filtering applicable to the hierarchical system be exercised with regard to the pages to be reviewed. The system also contains a hierarchical control level so that varying filtering and monitoring control is available at each level of the hierarchy and can be configured down to the individual user level to permit the overall

10 system to remain secure while providing appropriate browser capabilities to the users, be they student, teachers, administrators or parents. The administrator or other control person within the hierarchy can also prevent access to any other browser, making the filtered browser the only one available to the user.

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